

sample evaluation four: mailed follow-up survey

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You participated in a Victim Impact Panel program as a result of your intoxicated driving violation. Please take a few moments to answer the following questions about your panel experience.

- 1. Since your OWI arrest, has your attitude toward driving under the influence of alcohol or drugs changed?**

☐ Yes ☐ No

If no, explain _____

Skip the question 2.

- 2. If yes, go to the next question.**

Rank the influence

(1 - 5) of each of the following in changing your attitude toward drinking and driving. (1 = most influence; 5 = least influence)

Actual OWI arrest

Assessment, Treatment, Education

Victim Impact Panel

Cost of the OWI - fines, insurance, etc.

Embarrassment to self and family

3. **Within the past _____ months (list number of months since the VIP), how often have you driven while impaired by alcohol or drugs?**

Daily

- 2-6 times per week

☐ Once per week

☐ Once every two weeks

☐ Once a month

4-6 times per year

☐ About once or twice per year

☐ Never

4. Most of the time, if I do drive after drinking, I have consumed:

☐ 1-3 drinks ☐ 4-6 drinks ☐ 7 - 10 drinks ☐ more than 10 drinks

5. I know that my ability to drive is impaired after I have consumed:

☐ 1-3 drinks ☐ 4-6 drinks ☐ 7 - 10 drinks ☐ more than 10 drinks

6. Within the past _____ months (list the number of months since the VIP), have you been arrested for OWI or a related offense?

☐ Yes ☐ No

7. Check your level of agreement with the following.

The Victim Impact Panel presentation . . .

a. Convinced me of the importance of not driving after drinking.

☐ Strongly agree ☐ Agree ☐ Disagree ☐ Strongly disagree

b. Has made me consider stopping or decreasing the amount of alcohol I consume if I have to drive.

☐ Strongly agree ☐ Agree ☐ Disagree ☐ Strongly disagree

c. Made me realize the consequences of drinking and driving.

☐ Strongly agree ☐ Agree ☐ Disagree ☐ Strongly disagree

d. Convinced me to arrange for alternate transportation if I am going to drink.

☐ Strongly agree ☐ Agree ☐ Disagree ☐ Strongly disagree

e. Convinced me that the penalties for driving after drinking are not severe enough.

☐ Strongly agree ☐ Agree ☐ Disagree ☐ Strongly disagree

f. Made me realize that anyone who drives after drinking is taking a big risk.

☐ Strongly agree ☐ Agree ☐ Disagree ☐ Strongly disagree